



INVITATION

**ESSIMO - INTERNATIONAL RESIDENCE JUDO TOURNAMENT
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 18 AND SUNDAY NOVEMBER 19, 2023**

Sportcampus Zuiderpark

Mr. P. Droogleever Fortuynweg 22 2533 SR The Hague, The Netherlands

Budo Sports Club Lu Gia Jen are organizing the tenth Essimo-International Residence Judo Tournament on Saturday November 18th and Sunday November 19th, 2023.

Registration is open to those boy/girls and men/women who are born in or before 2013 and who are a member of a Sports Club or Sports School that has a membership to the JBN and/or EJU/IJF.

18-11-2023	Year of Birth	Weight categories (in kg)								
Girls	2012 - 2013	-22	-25	-28	-32	-36	-40	-44	-48	+48
Boys	2012 - 2013	-24	-27	-30	-34	-38	-42	-46	-50	+50
Girls	2009 - 2010 - 2011	-32	-36	-40	-44	-48	-52	-57	-63	+63
Boys	2009 - 2010 - 2011	-34	-38	-42	-46	-50	-55	-60	-66	+66
Women	2003 - 2004 - 2005 - 2006	-44	-48	-52	-57	-63	-70	-78	+78	
Women	2002 and before	-48	-52	-57	-63	-70	-78	+78		
Men	2003 - 2004 - 2005 - 2006	-55	-60	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100	
Men	2002 and before	-60	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100		

19-11-2023	Year of Birth	Weight categories (in kg)								
Women	2007 - 2008 - 2009	-40	-44	-48	-52	-57	-63	-70	+70	
Men	2007 - 2008 - 2009	-46	-50	-55	-60	-66	-73	-81	-90	+90

Judokas born in 2009 may, if desired, register for competitions on both tournament days.

On Saturday, the organization reserves the right to combine, in a responsible manner, two adjacent weight categories, in case the number of participants is not sufficient.

On Sunday, age and weight categories will not be combined.



<i>Location</i>	Sportcampus Zuiderpark, 22 Mr. P. Droogleever Fortuynweg, 2533 SR The Hague, the Netherlands
<i>Start</i>	On both days, weighing will be possible from 07.15 hrs onwards. The first competition will start at 09.00 hrs. The participating clubs and schools will receive their relevant weighing and starting times no later than one week before the tournament.
<i>Number of tatami</i>	8 tatami
<i>Number of participants</i>	A maximum of 1,500 judoka, spread out over two competition days.
<i>Weighting</i>	Weighting will take place on the day of the competition and is obligatory for every participant. The scales have been calibrated and the measured weight is conclusive. Participants of Sunday's tournament have the option to weigh in on Saturday evening.
<i>Weight changes</i>	Any change in the previously registered weight can be reported free of charge before November 11th, 2023 by email to the following email address: inschrijvingen@essimo-irjt.nl . After November 11th, 2023 a change in the previously registered weight is possible against payment of € 5.00 per participating judoka.
<i>Exclusion</i>	Judokas registered for the tournament who cannot submit a valid Judo Federation passport as well as a valid membership card, or whose passport data do not match the coordinates specified, will be excluded from participation.
<i>Competition systems</i>	All age categories fight in a system of double elimination. For the participants in the age category -17 (born in 2007 2008, 2009), this tournament is one of the JBN-selection criteria for participation in international EJU-tournaments for the category -18 in 2024. Winners will be determined by applying the system of double elimination.
<i>Awards</i>	In a group system a 1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd prize will be awarded. In the system of double elimination two 3 rd prizes will be awarded. Apart from that, all participants will receive a memento.
<i>Participant cards</i>	Participant cards will be handed out to the participants in Sportcampus Zuiderpark on the day of the tournament. In case of unpaid registration fees, participant cards are not handed over.
<i>Coach cards</i>	For each sports club or sports school, one coach card will be distributed per 6 judokas, to a maximum of three cards per sports club or sports school.



- Registration fee** The registration fee amounts to € 15.00 per participant and has to be paid up at the same time as the registration, clearly stating the name of the sports club or sports school, the number of participants and 'IRJT 2023' into the bank account of Lu Gia Jen in The Hague:
- Account holder** : Penn Judo-Club Lu-Gia-Jen
IBAN : NL47 INGB 0000 1988 00
BIC : INGBNL2A
- Registration** You are requested to send in your registrations by email to inschrijvingen@essimo-irjt.nl using the enclosed registration form. Registrations will be confirmed by email. Please note that registration is not final until the payable registration fees have been received.
- Closing date** Registrations should be received by the secretariat no later than November 5th, 2023. Please be aware that registration is no longer possible as soon as the maximum number of participants has been registered, which may occur well before this date.
- Liability** The organization of the tournament is not liable for any injuries or damages in any form.
- Accommodation** Sportcampus Zuiderpark can accommodate about 750 spectators. There is a catering facility inside the Sports Hall.
- Accessibility** Sportcampus Zuiderpark can be reached by public transport. Both tram 9 (Regio-net) and bus lines 25, 26 and 51 have a stop near the sports hall.
- Admission fee** The admission fee for spectators is € 3.00 per person, however, for spectators up to 12 years of age there is free entry.
- Communication** You can address any queries about the Essimo-International Residence Judo Tournament to the tournament secretariat. Please contact:
- Ineke Orie
- Mobile : +31 6 51 11 57 33
- E-Mail : inschrijvingen@essimo-irjt.nl